WHEREAS; American Legion Auxiliary Badger Girls State teaches the principles of democracy in a representative government and prepares high school students across Wisconsin for citizenship, civic engagement, and active participation in democracy; and

WHEREAS; American Legion Auxiliary Badger Girls State provides an opportunity for collaboration and working toward a greater collective good while sharing experiences that demonstrate the duties, privileges, and responsibilities of good citizenship; and

WHEREAS; American Legion Auxiliary Badger Girls State works to instill lifelong skills and appreciation for community and civic participation while inspiring a new generation of leaders;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim June 18 through 23, 2023, as

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throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all our state's residents.

| IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Stat of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 21st day of March 2023. | e |
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| TONY EVERS, Governor  |   |
| By the Governor:  |   |
| SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State   |   |